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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

This is a response to the Office action mailed June 28, 2006. A one-month extension is also filed herewith. The Office is conditionally authorized to charge further Deposit Account No. 04-1105 for any additional payment needed for the extension. Also, the Office should consider this a conditional petition for the proper extension period needed to have this response entered and considered, if the one-month extension is not enough.

Please amend the application as follows:

- Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the marked claims beginning on page 2.
- Remarks are on page 7.
- A Conclusion is on page 8.